

THOMAS' TROUBLES.

John R. Thomas, Who Run the Gallon House, at Green Ridge is Full of Trouble.

The gallon house is closed; Thomas has eight indictments against him, and his partner, Henry Whitmore has jumped.

On Monday, Thomas was admitted to bail to appear from day to day. Yesterday, Thomas came in to appear at court, but in place of going to court, he went to the Lindell hotel kept by Edith Thompson. A vigorous search was made in every nook and corner until he was finally found at the place above named. In the afternoon he was taken to the house of a relative, who resides on Third street, near Grand avenue.

When Thomas' case was called yesterday afternoon the sheriff reported Thomas ill and unable to be out.

Late yesterday afternoon a BAZOO reporter called at the Lindell and found a colored man known as Scar-face Charlie, in charge of the office. He said Thomas came there about 9 o'clock a. m. yesterday, and looked as if he had had a chill, and that beyond his leaving there shortly afterward he knew nothing about him.

The sheriff reports that he was under the doctor's care Sunday and was very nervous yesterday—in fact, so much so that it was not deemed advisable to bring him into court.

The probabilities are that Thomas is on the verge of his jinks, and he is endeavoring to force himself down so as to be able to meet his accusers face to face.

On Tuesday creditors attached all the goods and chattels of Whitmore that were in sight, and it is surmised that he will not show up any more in these parts. He has no family.

Truly it can be said that the way of the transgressor is hard.

Misplaced Confidence.

A man by the name of William Linsey, of Smithton, has succeeded in getting into Chris. Bruckhorst, the furniture dealer of 309 East Third street, to the tune of a hundred dollars.

It seems that Bruckhorst has had Linsey hauling logs for him during the summer at Smithton, where Linsey resided, and Bruckhorst had agreed to stand good for what groceries and necessities Linsey might need. Last week Bruckhorst, hearing that Linsey was not performing his duty, went down to see about it. Linsey, hearing of it, borrowed a satchel to go to his wife's, he said, but failed to get there and has not been seen since. He had obtained on Bruckhorst's credit in all about two hundred and sixty dollars, and had done enough hauling to amount to about one hundred and sixty dollars, leaving one hundred dollars yet due.

Tuesday Linsey's wife came to see Bruckhorst, and said her liege lord and master had run off and left her, but Bruckhorst is not inclined to believe this statement, and thinks it is simply a ruse to cover up her husband's tracks.

In addition to the above amount Linsey had obtained clothes of a dealer at Smithton to the amount of seventeen dollars, but Bruckhorst is not responsible for this.

TIED NO THURSDAY.

Last Night, Miss Stella Young and J. G. Hungerford, Miss Laura Smith and Ernest Dix.

A very pleasant wedding occurred last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Col. and Mrs. Eales, on Lamine street. The occasion was the marriage of Miss Stella Young, a beautiful and popular lady, who has a large circle of friends and acquaintances in this city, and Mr. J. G. Hungerford, a well known conductor on the Kansas & Texas railway.

Owing to a late bereavement, by death, in the family of the bride, the wedding was a very quiet one, only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties being present.

The ceremony was performed by Elder Duncan, of the Christian church, in the most beautiful and appropriate words.

A very choice supper was laid on handsomely decorated tables, consisting of cold turkey, tongue, ham, oysters, salads, chocolate, fruit, white, sponge and many other varieties of cake, coffee, tea, etc., all prepared under the management of Aunt Betie Stewart.

The bride wore a costume of peacock blue camel, combined with checked camel of the same shade. The underdress was made with a front of triple box plaits, held in place with straps of the checked camel, full side looped draperies and plain basque waist; corsage bouquet of natural flowers. The presents were not many, but very handsome, numbering among the rest:

Large steel engraving, elegantly framed in bell metal and scarlet plush—Easton & Demuth.

Large cabinet album, bound in Turkish morocco and exquisitely hand painted—Mr. A. B. Easton.

Double pickle casket, of cut glass, with silver base and covers—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson.

Crocheted thread tidy—Mrs. E. A. Hallock.

Silver cake box, handsomely engraved—Messrs. J. W. McNillis and Bayless Steele.

Large bouquet of cut flowers—Mrs. Fannie Steele.

Bride's cake, heavily and elaborately iced, the top in a design of tea and tube roses—Messrs. Sicher.

As a fact worthy of mention, Mr. and Mrs. Hungerford will go immediately to house keeping, a lovely little home having been completely fitted up for them on the corner of Eleventh and Lamine.

The BAZOO extends congratulations to the newly-married couple, and trusts that no cloud of sorrow may ever come to mar their happiness, but that peace and prosperity may ever be their portion.

THE DIX-SMITH NUPHIALS.

Among the important social events of the season will be recorded the marriage of Miss Laura Smith, daughter of ex-city marshal, Albert Smith, of this city, to Mr. Ernest F. Dix, the well-known young marble artist of this city.

The ceremony was performed last night at the residence of the bride's father, corner of Missouri and Pettis avenues, Rev.

A. J. Van Wagner officiating in his usually happy and impressive style. The bride, who is an uncommonly handsome young lady, looked doubly beautiful in her elegant costume of garnet velvet and with the mainly and handsome form of the groom beside her, completed a picture fit for an artist's pencil. Mr. James M. De Jarnett officiated as best man to the groom, while Miss Vivian Billings held the post of honor beside the bride.

The wedding was of a private and quiet character, only some twenty guests who were intimate associates and relatives of the high contracting parties being present.

The happy couple will at once proceed to house keeping, and will reside with the bride's father, the house having been refitted and re-furnished in elegant style by the groom, for their reception.

Among the many handsome and elegant presents received by the couple were the following:

A handsome parlor stove, from H. H. Dix, brother of the groom.

Elegant silver pickle dish, from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bruce, uncle and aunt of the bride.

Silver butter dish, F. M. DeJarnette.

Handsome tidy, Miss Fanny Owens.

Glass cake stand, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wood.

Silver mounted card receiver, Miss Cora B. Rippey.

Silver butter knife and sugar spoon, Mrs. G. Herman.

Set of fancy sauce dishes, Mrs. Freddie Bartlett.

Set of hand painted china fruit dishes, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Corey.

Silver cake stand, Miss Vivian Billings.

Elegant parlor lamp, Mr. Fred Bosse.

Handsome parlor clock and set of silver tea spoons in a case, Mr. Otto Vogler.

Cut glass ink stand, paper cutter and paper weight, J. M. DeJarnette.

Glass preserve stand, Miss Kate Heisinger.

Silver pickle stand, Miss Alta Bruce, cousin of the bride.

Motto in frame, Miss Sophia Heisinger.

Silver pickle casket, Mr. C. B. Mitchell.

The BAZOO extends to the happy young couple its best wishes and congratulations, and trusts their future wedded life may prove as happy and prosperous as their auspicious espousal seems to indicate it may be.

FINE CATTLE.

Purchased of J. B. Gentry & Co., by Maj. Warner, of the Famous Castleton Rancho, Colorado.

People are attracted to Pettis county daily by the ambition and efforts of her people and they are daily getting to the front. Yesterday, Major M. R. H. of Gunnison, Colorado, purchased of J. B. Gentry & Co., twenty-three head of high bred short horn heifers and two fine bulls, all as fine stock as ever there was owned on the continent.

Major William Gentry and his sons, Joel and John, comprising the firm of J. B. Gentry & Co., have been importers and breeders of high grade stock for years, and as such their fame is fast extending. It is just such stock as they attract people from the far west to view, which means to purchase. Major Warner has a bunch of cattle second in blood to none on the continent, bought yesterday and will be shipped to-day.

Major Warner also purchased three Hereford bulls of the same firm, which will be shipped in April. These are the highest priced animals of all, owing to their scarcity.

The BAZOO commends Major Warner and his enterprise to the good people of Colorado, and assures them that the herd he purchased yesterday stands at the head.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE.

Beware of Imitations.

Imitations and counterfeits have again appeared. Be sure that the word "HORSFORD'S" is on the wrapper. None genuine without it.

In last Sunday's issue of the BAZOO the statement was made that the assessment necessary to meet the interest and principal due on the court house bonds the first year would be eleven ninetihs of one per cent. This statement was made on the last assessment being \$9,000,000, but since then the gentleman having the framing of the election notice in hands have allowed five per cent. for the uncollectible portion of the tax.

The exact assessable valuation from the last returns is \$9,026,780. The five per cent. allowance for uncollectable tax amounts to \$451,339, leaving the amount to be assessed on, as \$8,575,441, but of this amount the collector gets two per cent, which amounts to \$171,508.82, so that the amount to make the estimate on is reduced to \$8,403,932.18.

The amount to raise the first year is, interest, \$6,000; bonds to be reduced, \$5,900; total, \$11,000.

The per cent. necessary to raise this \$11,000 is one hundred and thirty-one thousandths of one per cent. This per cent. is a fraction large, and makes the tax amount to \$11,009.16, which is \$9.16 more than necessary, but it is close enough for all practical purposes.

Some parties claim that the constitution requires that the rate of taxation be voted on, while the law requires that the rate shall be stated in the notice. The framers of the notice say that they can obviate all this.

The interest will be constantly decreasing at the rate of \$3,000 per year, after the first payment, and the valuation of the property constantly increasing, so that the rate will be beneficially effected in a two-fold degree.

Died.

At his residence, on Grand avenue, near Third street, of hemorrhage of the lungs, at 5:30, yesterday evening, Fritz Rorer, aged 43 years. Mr. Rorer was a tailor by occupation and has long been a citizen of Sedalia, having worked for the principal merchants of the city. He leaves a wife and two children. The funeral will take place from the German Evangelical church at 10 a. m. to-morrow morning, Rev. Stanger officiating.

WALKER'S WOE.

He is Deserted by His Wife, Who Skips Out With a "Handsome Man."

A Sensation Which Caused Excitement in the Lively Little City of Montrose.

The Connection Which Certain Sedalia Parties Have With the Affair.

The BAZOO of Sunday morning contained brief mention of the elopement of a lady well known in the social circles of Montrose and vicinity. Learning that the little episode was causing a vast amount of comment, and creating no little excitement among the good people of Montrose, a BAZOO reporter took the K. & T. train for Montrose, Sunday evening, with a view to furnishing the readers of the "paper published off the top of the earth" the full particulars of this rather sensational event. When the BAZOO man arrived at Montrose at 8:45 p. m., he found the city shrouded in darkness, there scarcely being a light perceptible save in the railroad station and the hotel, but the news huster was not discouraged, and by the judicious exercise of his diplomatic abilities managed to catch on.

THE CENTRAL FIGURES IN

this rather large sized scandal are Mrs. Emma Walker, formerly Mrs. Emma Ahart, nee Miss Emma Ogen and one William Ford, a barber and an alleged dupe.

Mrs. Walker is most respectably connected, being the daughter of Samuel Ogen, a farmer who resides three miles east of Montrose. Her husband Mr. Don Walker, is a most estimable gentleman and held in high esteem by all who know him.

This unfortunate marriage was solemnized July 15th, 1883, about eleven months after the death of the bride's first husband, the marriage ceremony being performed by Rev. Pole Walker, a brother of the groom.

The couple went to housekeeping immediately, and soon afterward Mrs. Walker brought home

HER TWO LITTLE BOYS

aged respectively four and six years, and who were supposed to be the heirs of her former husband.

As previously stated this match was an ill-fated one, and scandal, which had already been busy with the name of Mrs. Walker, had an additional cause for exultation when soon after the marriage, took up his residence in the Walker mansion in the capacity of a boarder. It is not charged that there was any criminal intimacy between Bill Walker and his sister-in-law, but his acts served to augment the scandal. He carried his eye in a sling for three weeks, the result of a thumping given him by one Darnell for an alleged misrepresentation of facts made by him in the Clinton Advocate. This is now known in the slang parlance of Montrose as "the Darnell act."

Shortly after the marriage of Mr. Walker and Mrs. Ahart, William Ford, a festive barber, who had been very attentive to Mrs. Walker, whilst she was a

A DASHING YOUNG WIDOW,

put in an appearance, and it is stated that he made very frequent visits to the residence of Mrs. Walker both day and night. By some means this gay Lothario obtained possession of a fine ring belonging to his enamored Mrs. Walker. Mr. Walker claims that Ford stole the ring, while the latter claims that the jewel was presented to him by Mrs. Walker. Four weeks ago last Sunday night Walker, chancing to meet Ford, demanded of him that he surrender the ring. Ford declined to reply with the irate husband's demand. Hot words ensued and Walker accused Ford of

RUNNING AFTER HIS WIFE,

at the same time stating that it must be stopped and warning Ford that if he caught him about his premises again he would shoot him down.

Ford paid little or no attention to his threat, but embraced every opportunity to meet Mrs. Walker and take long strolls with her, and it was asserted by those who had observed matters closely that Ford was completely under the control of his enslaver.

Nothing further was said about the ring at the time, and matters were apparently moving along tranquilly and smoothly in the Walker mansion until about ten days ago, when Walker met Ford in front of his grocery store and again demanded that he give up that ring.

Walker seized Ford but the latter broke and ran. He only went a short distance, however, before he was brought to a halt by a two pound scale weight hurled at him by his enraged rival. The following morning Walker obtained a writ of replevin for the ring which was taken from Ford by the constable and delivered to Mrs. Walker, who stated that she would return it to a gentleman she had obtained it from in bed at Appleton City, on the 18th of February last.

The rights of property involved in this case will be tried on the 15th inst.

Shortly after the difficulty with Walker, Ford left Montrose for Sedalia, where he obtained employment in an East Sedalia barber shop. Ford is a gross widower, his former wife, with whom he lived only two weeks, being the daughter of a Pettis county farmer, by the name of Higgins, who resides near Sedalia.

Ford claims that his wife's father forcibly took her away from him and for this he brought a suit against him for

DAMAGES IN THE SUM OF \$5,000.

This suit is now pending in the Pettis county circuit court.

On Friday evening Mrs. Walker brought her sister, Miss Mary Ogen, a young lady sixteen years of age, to her home, for the purpose, so the alleges, of attending to her (Mrs. Walker's) household duties while she went to Appleton on business.

On Friday evening Mrs. Walker, her sister and other members of the household started to go to Mr. Walker's store. On the way Mrs. W. suddenly remembered that she had forgotten her watch, and returned to the house, as she alleged, for the

purpose of obtaining it. This movement, however,

WAS MERELY A BLIND,

as the sequel will show. On returning home the faithless wife packed up all of her wearing apparel, and according to her husband's statement, gave the packages to one James H. Hayden, an Irish peddler, and friend of Ford's. Hayden took the packages to Appleton City, where he was joined by Mrs. Walker the following morning (Saturday.)

The first suspicion that Mrs. Walker's family had of

HER PROPOSED ELOPEMENT

was on Saturday morning, when her sister, Miss Mary Ogen, who was going out, went to look for a tur cap belonging to her sister, which she intended wearing, when she made the discovery that all of her sister's clothing was missing. Then there was quite a scare. The young lady sobbed and cried as if her heart would break, and reported the matter to her brother-in-law, who it is said,

BECAME ALMOST FRANTIC

He procured a horse and went to Appleton City after his truant wife, and found her at a house which she owns in that place, the guest of her tenant, and in company with Hayden, who remained with her during the day. Walker entreated his wife to return with him to Montrose, but she declined, saying that Montrose had no charms for her; that she had now left him; that he could sell off all her furniture, except her organ, and requested him to take her two children to her father. Finding that this wife could not be induced to return, her heartbroken husband returned to his low dwelling alone, but it seemed that he was unable to give up his wife without another effort, and when the train from the south reached Montrose, the distracted husband boarded the cars and finding his wife in company with Hayden, made another earnest appeal to her to return home. Being again unsuccessful in his efforts, he rode with the guilty couple to La Due. Before that station was reached the now thoroughly enraged husband addressed the friend of his wife's seducer in anything but complimentary terms. A quarrel ensued, and

REVOLVERS WERE DRAWN,

and the prompt interference of Conductor Travis is all that prevented some one from getting hurt.

After the row had been quelled Mrs. Walker informed her husband that she had paid her fare to Hannibal and was going to her grand parents in Central Illinois, and would write him a long letter Tuesday. Then if he wanted any more truck with her he could visit her at her new home.

Mrs. Walker is described as rather a fine looking woman, with black eyes and black hair, and is about twenty five years of age. She is rather fleshy, her weight being about 160 pounds. She has a winning way and boasts that

SHE CAN MAKE ANY MAN LOVE HER

Ford, the masher, has been working in Dahluin's barber shop for the past few days, and is described as a good looking fellow, about twenty-eight years of age, rather low in stature, brown eyes, brown hair, small mustache and rather fair complexion.

The happy couple(?) left yesterday morning for the north, Ford telling his employer that he would be absent nine or ten days.

Mr. Walker, who is a most worthy gentleman, has the sympathy of all the good people of Montrose.

According to the request of Mrs. Walker, the deserted husband, Sunday morning, hired a livery team, and in company with his wife's sister, Miss Mary Ogen, took the two children, whom their heartless mother had deserted to her parents, by whom they will doubtless be well cared for.

After Mrs. Walker had left home an unfinished letter was found in her room addressed to her grand parents, stating that she would be with them next week. The letter terminated with an abrupt dash, as if the writer had been hurriedly called away. It is thought by those conversant with the facts that this letter was intended as a mere blind.

—Why suffer with malaria? Emory's Standard Cure Pills are infallible, never fail to cure the most obstinate cases; purely vegetable.—25 cents.

Funeral of A. W. Van Antwerp.

The funeral obsequies of A. W. Van Antwerp, late water commissioner, took place at 10 o'clock yesterday morning under the auspices of the masonic order. At the hour named the procession formed at the residence of the deceased, and marched to the church in the following order:

St. Omar commandery, Knights Templar.

Members of Granite lodge.

Mayor, board of aldermen and other city officials.

Platoon of police under command of city marshal.

Arrived at the church, an eloquent funeral oration was delivered by Rev. H. Miller, of the East Sedalia Methodist church.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies at the church, the procession was reformed and marched to the cemetery, where all that was mortal of an estimable citizen, a faithful and efficient official and a kind and loving husband and father was laid to rest.

Gone to Sleep.

Died at the family residence, two and a half miles south of Green Ridge, at 2 o'clock a. m. yesterday Miss Georgiana Lamy, age 30 years, of consumption.

Miss Lamy was the daughter of Mr. Lamy, an old and well-known citizen and farmer of this county. Although in feeble health for many months, Miss Lamy's death was quite sudden, she having been confined to her bed but about two days.

The funeral services will be held at the family residence to-day, Rev. Dr. Foster of this city, officiating. The remains will be forwarded to Waterloo, New York, for interment.

Skinny Men.

"Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, Impotence, Sexual Debility. \$1.

Stocking yarns, all wool, only 65 cts. at the Woolen Mill store. 10-2wlm.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Several Liquor Cases Disposed of—Other Cases Acted Upon.

State vs. G. F. Yeager, practicing medicine without license; defendant files motion for new trial.

Same vs. Dennis Slater and Mike Murphy, sciri facias, two cases; dismissed by state.

Same vs. J. R. Thomas and Henry Whitmore, selling liquor without license; defendant, Thomas, arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Recognizance placed at \$100 to appear from day to day.

Same vs. same, same offense; same entry in six cases.

Same vs. John R. Thomas, disturbing the peace; defendant arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Recognizance placed at \$100 to appear from day to day.

Same vs. Burr M. Cockrell, forgery; plea of not guilty withdrawn, plea of guilty entered. Defendant being under age his punishment was fixed at imprisonment for ten days in the county jail.

State vs. Mrs. Larry Keating, selling liquor without license; alias capias for defendant.

Same vs. Frank Mills, burglary and larceny; defendant files motion for a new trial, also motion in arrest of sentence; motion overruled; defendant excepts.

Same vs. Mrs. Mary Keating, selling liquor without license; alias capias for defendant.

Same vs. B. F. Ivey et al., sciri facias; alias capias for defendant, W. T. Taylor et al., do.

Same vs. Jack Hughes, felonious assault; plures capias for defendant returnable at the next term of court.

John Loney excused from further service as a petit juror on account of sickness.

State vs. Patrick Maloney, selling liquor without license; jury trial; verdict of guilty, and fine of \$50.

The grand jury reported the following true bills:

A. Tessmer, selling liquor without license, four cases; Wm. McNali, false representation; Robert DeGarmo, larceny in a dwelling house; Charles Calvin, same offense; Enos Phares, disturbing neighborhood.

State vs. A. Tessmer, selling liquor without license; defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty and enters into security in the sum of \$100 with R. N. Morrow as security for appearance from day to day.

Same vs. same, same offense; same entry in three other cases.

Same vs. Tim Collins, embezzlement; A. D. Fisher, recognized in the sum of \$100 as witness for the state.

Same vs. Pat Maloney, selling liquor without license; plea of not guilty withdrawn, plea of guilty entered and fined \$50.

Same vs. Pat Maloney, same entry; notice pros.

Same vs. William McNali, false representation; notice pros.

Same vs. Robert DeGarmo, larceny in dwelling; defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty.

Same vs. William McNali, false representation; defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty.

Same vs. Charles Calvin, larceny in a dwelling house; defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty.

Same vs. Enos Phares, disturbing neighborhood; defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty.

Same vs. same, same offense; same entry in six other cases.

State vs. John R. Thomas, selling liquor without license; forfeiture of recognizance, with leave to set aside; alias capias.

D. A. Ray, of Morgan county, was enrolled as an attorney.

State vs. A. Tessmer, selling liquor without license; forfeiture of recognizance, with leave to set aside; alias capias.

Same vs. John R. Thomas, selling liquor without license; forfeiture of recognizance, with leave to set aside; alias capias for defendant; sciri facias vs. defendant and surities.

Same vs. same, same offense; same entry in five other cases.

Same vs. same, disturbing the peace of neighborhood; same entry.

Same vs. Albert Tessmer, selling liquor without license; forfeiture of recognizance, with leave to set aside; alias capias for defendant; sciri facias for defendant and surities.

Same vs. same, same offense; same entry in the other cases.

The grand jury reported the following true bills: Fanny Bartlett, larceny in a dwelling; Charles Wilson and Frank McDonald, obtaining property by cheating and fraud.

The grand jury also reported the following ignored bill: O'Neal, larceny of money.

State vs. Frank Mills, burglary and larceny; defendant files affidavit for appeal.

Same vs. Fanny Bartlett, larceny in a dwelling house; defendant arraigned; plea of guilty to petit larceny; two days in county jail.

Same vs. Chas. Wilson and Frank McDonald, obtaining money by cheating and fraud; defendants arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

State vs. Albert Tessmer, selling liquor without license; sciri facias against defendant and surety; alias capias for defendant, returnable at next term; witnesses recognized in the sum of \$100 each.